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In re Patent Application of

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CONTENT

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Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §41.31, Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the final rejection of claims 1-29 of the above-identified application, as set forth in the Final Office Action mailed September 21, 2006, setting a three-month shortened statutory period of reply for December 21, 2006.

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Respectfully submitted,



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